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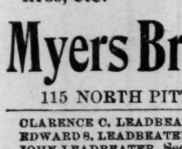

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ASSAULTS ON FEMALES.

Accused of trying to drag an 11 year-old girl yesterday into the cellar of 1473 Second avenue, New York, George A. Schmidt, who lives in the house, while under arrest, was set upon by a dozen men, who threatened to lynch him. Two policemen had their hands full in fighting the assailants and getting their prisoner to the station house. The girl made an outcry when Schmidt seized her, and her aunt ran to her rescue and took hold of the assailant. The latter dealt the woman a cruel blow, stunning her.

Bonnie Holly, a delicate girl aged 14 years, the daughter of James Holly, an employe of the Radford Pipe Works, at Radford, Va., was criminally assaulted Saturday night. Joseph Barker, her brother-in-law, is accused. The Holly girl went to the home of the Barkers, near New River, to visit her sister. Mrs. Barker was absent, and while awaiting her return, it is alleged, Barker outraged the girl. Barker was apprehended and lodged in jail, but feeling being so bitter against him he was hurried to the Pulaski jail for safe keeping.

While walking along the South Penn Branch of the Cumberland Valley Railroad, about a mile from Mercersburg, Md., yesterday, 16-year-old Iva Scott was attacked by a negro named Wm. Wells, of Chambersburg. First, he demanded her money, and when she declined he tried to force her to the ground. The girl fought off her assailant as best she could and screamed for help. Her cries are believed to have frightened the negro, who finally released her, and after snatching her purse from the ground he ran down the railroad tracks. He was overtaken by officers and lodged in jail.

The recurrence of a "Ripper" outrage has caused another wave of nervous fear and dread to break over Berlin. A woman on opening the door of a flat surprised a man in the act of striking down an 11-year-old girl. The woman screamed and the man ran and succeeded in getting away. This occurred in the neighborhood of the previous outrages. The residents of that section are in such a state nervous excitement that they fell upon and beat fearfully a harmless man because he had offered a child a piece of candy.

In addition to the attempt on the child yesterday and a case of child mutilation that occurred on Saturday, it has now come out that the fourteen-year-old daughter of a barber in the northern quarter of the city was struck and wounded in the arm and foot on the staircase of her house and became unconscious. But her assailant must have been interrupted, as she was not further maltreated.

Within the past year thirty little girls have been murdered by a "Jack the Ripper." Five were attacked on Saturday and three of these are dead.

CHARGED WITH COWARDICE.

For the first time in 38 years New York city policemen were placed on trial at headquarters yesterday, charged with cowardice. The men are Stephen Walsh and Tracy Russa. They are charged with conduct unbecoming an officer and oo vardice in failing to capture Frank H. Warner, the double-murderer, after he killed Esther Norling. After this crime Warner escaped into the Spalding building, and, according to witnesses, hid on the third floor. It is charged that Walsh or Russa could have captured or killed Warner. But Warner, after half an hour or so, escaped from the building through a rear window, went down town and killed John C. Wilson, a hat manufacturer, in his place of business, at Waverly Place and Greenwich street.

Commissioner Bingham presided at the trial in person and elected to try Walsh first. When the proceedings had been under way nearly an hour Commissioner Bingham discovered that Walsh was lolling in a chair. He was required to stand at attention during the rest of the session, with his heels together and his chest out as far as he could push it.

The first two witnesses swore that Walsh ran when the murderer fired a shot at him, hid in a tailor shop on the second floor of the building and remained there for twenty minutes. He refused to allow anyone in the shop to open the door. When help arrived he made sure that policemen were clamoring for admittance before he would let them in.

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	$1,089,504.27

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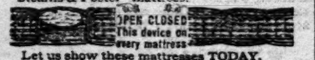

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SUICIDE OF AN ACTRESS.

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THURSDAY,
the 15th day of August, 1907,

at 5 o'clock p. m., in front of the premises, the following described LOTS OR PARCELS OF GROUND in the county of Alexandria, Virginia, described as follows, to-wit:

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Ladies' White Madras Waists, former price 50c, reduced to 39c.

Ladies' Long Kimonas, former price $1.00, reduced to 75c.

Ladies' Dressing Sacques, former price 50c, reduced to 35c.

Ladies' navy and pink Lawn Underskirts, deep accordion plait ruffle; former price $1.25, reduced to 89c.

Ladies' Wash Petticoats, former price $1.25, reduced to 89c.

Ladies' Muslin Petticoats, wide embroidery flounce; former price $1.25, reduced to 98c.

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Ladies' Black Satine, Moire Velour and Heatherbloom Petticoats, former prices $1.25 to $1.50, reduced to 98c.

Ladies' Black Batiste Waists, former price $1.00, reduced to 75c.

Ladies' Black India Linon Waists, lace trimmed, former price 50c, reduced to 39c.

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Ladies' Black Satine Waists, former price 50c, reduced to 39c.

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SIC SEMPER TYRANNIS
AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER

TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 30, 1907.

THE PAPERS of late have contained many accounts of the ill-treatment of females (often little girls being the victims) in different sections of the United States. Such assaults have often been followed by brutal murders. These revolting crimes are not always committed by negroes, but most of the perpetrators of late are white men—degenerates of the lowest type. The multiplication of such cases is naturally causing alarm, and the blood of those having been murdered is crying aloud for vengeance. The police in New York seem to be unable to stay this wave of crime, and the assaulters and slayers of little girls are still walking abroad looking for other victims. In connection with the above mentioned wave of crime seems to have appeared over certain portions of this country, and assassinations are becoming alarmingly common, men being ruthlessly murdered for no other reason than the fact that from their own labors they are in easy circumstances and refuse to give money to adventurers and plotters against governments. The boasted civilization of this country is now being derided by newspapers of other countries, especially in England, and that these criticisms are in the main just must be admitted.

AN ADVENTIST preacher in Baltimore recently announced that the United States was foretold in the Bible. Among other things he said:

The year 1798 is set for the rise of the United States, but in order to shorten the days of persecution the Declaration of Independence was made in 1776. The United States was symbolized by the beast which rose out of the earth as a dragon. (Rev. xiii.) The horns mean civil and religious liberty. Its speaking as a dragon or devil meant its persecutions of Quakers and others, especially the Jews and Seventh Day Adventists, who protest against the enforcement of Sunday laws and the violation of the true Sabbath, Saturday. The "man" whose number was to be counted or considered, which was 666, was the Pope, whose tiara has the inscription, "Vicarius Filii Dei," and that these letters added together according to their value as Roman numerals made up the number 666. The United States is leading both Protestants and the papacy into increasing prosecution in speaking as a dragon by its law-making power on the Sunday laws.

The mystical number in the Apocalypse has given rise to all sorts of speculations. Some have dreamed that it means the Papacy, others Mahomet and others Napoleon Bonaparte. One Bible student, after puzzling over the three letters in the original Greek, concluded that the devil is meant from the fact that two of the numerals resemble serpents in shape.

MEMBERS of the very jury in Boise, Idaho, which acquitted Haywood of complicity in the brutal murder of former Governor Steunenberg say they were satisfied that he was guilty of that diabolical crime, but that it had not been satisfactorily proven; hence it was simply the old Scotch one of not proven. This being the case, Mr. W. J. Bryan's statement of his approval of the verdict had better been left unuttered, while the telegram of the anarchists, Emma Goldman, Alexander Berkman and Hippolyte Havel, to President Roosevelt on the subject of Haywood's acquittal was an insult to the country. Then, too, the paraders in honor of Haywood and the talk of nominating him for the presidency bode no good for the country, but rather portend turbulent times. Surely these are evil days.

IT IS stated that Gov. Swanson is exceedingly restive over his helplessness to resist the interference of the United States Supreme Court against the enforcement of the two-cent railroad rate law as propounded by the commission. The Governor might just as well keep cool and possess himself in patience. The whole matter is now in the hands of the courts and the railroad companies are not going to take up their tracks and run off. Any steps which he might take now would be but a feeble attempt at imitating the Governor of North Carolina, and that would not be becoming in a Governor of Virginia.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, July 30.

A despatch was received at the Navy Department today, announcing that a boiler tube burst yesterday on the United States gunboat Wilmington at Nanking, China. Three men were scalded Fireman Philip Hind was killed, and the two others are expected to recover.

Because, as a result of the census taken in 1903, it was estimated that there were at least 92 deaf and dumb persons in Manila and several thousand in the provinces, it was decided to establish a special school for these afflicted ones. On the solicitation of the Philippine commission, the bureau of insular affairs sent Miss Delia Delight Rice, a lady of experience from the United States, to establish the proposed institution. Now she is wondering whether it was not a fool's errand that she was sent on. She can find no scholars to teach. The board of education of Manila appealed to the board of health, which has just made a special canvass of every district of the city. The work occupied two weeks, but, according to advices just received at the War Department, it failed to discover a single deaf and dumb person in all of Manila.

The powder trust is trying to outwit the government's 'trust busters' and delay, if not prevent, the suit which the attorney had arranged to begin at Wilmington, Del., today. Anticipating the filing of the bill in equity, which asks for the dissolution of the trust for violations of the Sherman anti-trust law, the DuPonts, under date of July 25, filed in court a certificate of dissolution for the E. I. DuPont Powder Company, the big holding corporation, and one of the three big concerns for which a receiver is desired by the government. The Department of Justice is moving promptly. Acting Attorney General Russell has wired J. V. Roadstrum, special counsel and District Attorney Neils, at Wilmington to make the change in the bill before it is filed. The department is now anxiously awaiting advices from the seat of hostilities at Wilmington.

Acting Secretary of State Newberry will today announce the names of the members of a board of expert naval officers whose duty it will be, as a result of the recent disaster on the battleship Georgia and of the uncertainty which still exists as to the direct cause, to make a thorough investigation of the present methods of constructing ships' turrets, their mechanism and all of the apparatus connected with them and with the guns, for the purpose of making suggestions for possible improvements therein, and with the special purpose of devising means to prevent such accidents in the future. The board will be composed of line officers exclusively.

The Jamestown Exposition Company has one more day in which to remit its first payment of $100,000 toward liquidating its government loan of $1,000,000. Under the act of Congress, the Secretary of the Treasury is given authority to take charge of the gate receipts, upon default. Although no official announcement is made at the Treasury Department, it is understood that the government does not now contemplate exercising that power. Assistant Secretary Edwards will leave for Jamestown this afternoon to spend his vacation at the exposition. It is believed that he will confer with the exposition officials.

RATE NOT EXCESSIVE.

In an opinion handed down yesterday by Commissioner Clements the Interstate Commerce Commission decided that the present rate of 41 cents per hundred pounds on cotton goods by sea and rail from Augusta, Ga., to New York, is not unreasonable.

The case was that of the Warren Manufacturing Company, of Augusta, and others, against the Southern Railway Company and others.

The commission held that the absorption of a competing line of railway by another, in alleged violation of the statutes of a State, is a matter within the control of the State courts, and can be considered by the commission only in its ultimate results of inducing unreasonable rates.

Further, the commission holds that "the violation of the so-called anti-trust act by unwarranted agreements in restraint of trade by carriers of interstate commerce is not within the jurisdiction of the commission, but only the correction of unreasonable rates which may be the purpose and effect of such illegal act. The long-continued carriage of any article of freight at certain rates, while establishing a presumption that such rates are reasonable and remunerative, is not alone conductive, but to carry such presumption must show a settled practice of policy. Where a rate is comparatively the lowest in its territory on a given article of freight and by reason thereof has been made the basis of reductions from competitive points, it will not be further reduced on the ground alone that it had at stated periods in the past been somewhat lower, unless it be shown that it is unreasonably high."

DEATH OF MAJ. HUNTINGTON.

A dispatch from Versailles says the death of the aged American soldier and an attempt at self-destruction on the part of his son Henry, who shot his sisters and brothers on Sunday in the last hours of his dying father, imparted additional sadness yesterday to the shocking tragedy in the home of Major Henry A. Huntington, which has caused a sensation in the American colony and diplomatic circles of France.

Major Huntington died yesterday evening shortly after the news was given out of his son Henry's unsuccessful attempt at suicide, but the father was spared the anguish of knowledge both of this incident and the terrible crime which shattered his household, as he was unconscious to the end.

The prostrated wife, his daughter Edith and his son Douglass, whose slight wounds permitted them to pay the last honors to the dying man, were present in the chamber when the end came.

According to the police, Henry attempted suicide in his cell with a silk handkerchief, which he tied round his neck and fastened to the bars, seeking to strangle himself slowly by means of a tourniquet. The jailer, who had been instructed to watch the prisoner closely, detected the act in time to prevent serious results, and it was announced that Henry had not succeeded in injuring himself.

RUSSIA AND JAPAN.

The signing Sunday at the foreign office in St. Petersburg of the treaties of commerce, navigation and fishery between Russia and Japan will be followed shortly by the publication of a political entente wiping out the last traces of the contentions and hostilities arising from the late war.

The Russian foreign office yesterday admitted officially that a general political agreement between the two States was in course of preparation; that the negotiations to this end had almost reached their conclusion, and that the signatures would be affixed to the document within a few days.

This entente is conceived along the same general lines as the recent similar agreement between France and Japan. Under its terms Russia and Japan will mutually guarantee their rights and territory.

The relations between Russia and Japan are on such a satisfactory basis that the recent occurrences in Korea exercised no influence upon them. Russia, who considers herself bound by the treaty of Portsmouth, is content to give other nations, whose hands are free, a chance to champion the Koreans.

Three Italians Killed.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 30—Three Italians were killed today in a race war at Florence, a suburb of this city, according to a report received here. The sheriff has left with a large posse for the scene.

News of the Day.

Evelyn Nesbit Thaw denied most emphatically a report which became current in New York today that she is to return to the stage.

Mrs. Florence McBlair, wife of Charles Ridgely McBlair, died yesterday morning at the Columbia Hospital, in Washington. Mrs. McBlair had been ill for time.

William Nelson, a negro, was executed in the electric chair in Sing Sing prison, at Ossining, N. Y. yesterday, for the murder of Lizzie Morman, with whom he lived.

The wheat crop of Maryland is expected to aggregate 15,000,000 bushels this year, which will be the largest yield since 1900, when the crop was 15,188,000 bushels.

A quantity of dynamite in a miner's trunk exploded while the trunk was being handled at Union Station in St. Louis yesterday, seriously injuring two men, slightly wounding six others and creating a noise and shock that almost started a panic in the station.

The official announcement of Mr. Bryan's candidacy for the democratic nomination for the presidency has been followed by the announcement that Mr. William Randolph Hearst, of New York, will also be a candidate.

While the seven-month-old child of Mrs. Morris Tarsich, was sleeping in its carriage on East Pratt street, Baltimore, about 7:30 o'clock yesterday evening a sneak thief stole from beneath the pillow a leather satchel containing all of Mrs. Tarsich's jewelry and money, valued at $156.

Charles F. Pope, living in Wetmore county, near San Antonio, Texas, late Saturday shot and killed his sister, Miss Christine Pope, who insisted on marrying a man to whom her brother objected and within an hour and a half after being arrested hanged himself in the county jail.

In a fight over a crap game at a colored campmeeting near Seaford, Del., Sunday night five negroes are said to have been mortally wounded and a score of others received bullet and razor wounds. The blood on the ground resembled a small stream, and at one time more than one hundred persons were in the fight.

A dispatch from Guayaquil, Ecuador, says a courtmartial has sentenced 15 soldiers implicated in the recent political plot against the president of the republic, General Alfaro, to death by shooting. Eight of the men were executed yesterday morning. Nine other soldiers have been sentenced to penal servitude for life on the same charges.

Thomas Black, the most prominent lawyer in Kenton, Ohio, a leading republican and mayor for two terms, is in jail on a charge of forgery. He gave himself up to the sheriff yesterday and asked to be placed behind the bars. Black acknowledges the forgery of papers involving the sum of $28,000. His operations extend, he says, over a period of nine years. Black was entrusted with the business of many clients and the forgeries were in connection with interests entrusted to him.

For the second time within 90 days Rev. S. L. Crouch, a Methodist preacher, of Chattanooga, Tenn., shot and killed a negro Sunday, who he was assisting to arrest. In the first tragedy, which was also on a Sunday, the negroes of the section formed a conspiracy for the purpose of getting Dr. Crouch into a difficulty and killing him. On Sunday the minister was called upon to assist in arresting Bud Wyley, who had broken into his and Mrs. Robinson's house. A party of negroes gathered about the house and threats were made. The prisoner put up a fight, depending upon the others for assistance, but was immediately shot by Dr. Crouch.

When Fred Dayton, lessee of a furnished room house at 475 west Twenty-second street, in New York, yesterday afternoon broke in the door of a room on the second floor to see why it was locked, he found the body of a woman lying in bed. Around her neck was a man's black polka-dot necktie, knotted hard and pulled so tight that it had cut into the skin of her throat. Pieces of flesh had been bitten out of her face and right forearm. The woman lay on her back, with her hands folded across her breast. The woman had been strangled eighteen or twenty hours before. The woman had been living in the room with a man who passed for her husband, who gave his name as Davis. He has disappeared.

FORAKER'S PROTEST.

A dispatch from Cincinnati says that Senator Joseph Benson Foraker last night, on the eve of the meeting of the State central committee at Columbus today, came out with a strong open letter.

This communication is the Senator's protest to the committee and the party against the proposed indorsement by the committee of Secretary Taft's candidacy for the presidency.

Senator Foraker's protest, which is in the form of a letter to C. B. McCoy, of Coshocton, Ohio, a member of the State committee, throws down the gauntlet to Secretary Taft to make his bid for the support of the State in his candidacy on the sole issue of tariff revision. It is the tariff and not railroads and trusts, says the Senator, over which there is difference of sentiment in the party.

The letter is also interpreted as a denial of the assumption that Secretary Taft is the only candidate the people of Ohio have for the presidency, Senator Foraker saying that the reason he has not announced himself for the support of the people of his State is because of his feeling that it is more dignified to wait until the party invites a man to become its leader for such an honor.

Senator Foraker's letter to Committeeman McCoy has created much interest among republican, and the action of the committee at its meeting in Columbus today is being eagerly awaited.

Uncle Remus's Magazine for August has been received from its publishers in Atlanta. This magazine, of which Joel Chandler Harris is editor, has met all requirements of the reading public in the diversity and excellence of the subjects presented. Mr. Harris contributes a forceful editorial, a new Uncle Remus story, an instalment of his serial, "The Bishop, the Boogerman, and the Right of Way," a poem, and "Some political reminiscences." Other attractive features are "Madam Le Vert and her friends," "Henry Fielding, an appreciation," and a tribute to Senator Morgan entitled "The passing of a Statesman." The several "departments," and the fiction, verse and reviews of this number are of more than ordinary interest.

THE RATE MATTER.

No definite steps were taken yesterday by the Virginia authorities looking to the resisting of the order of Judge Jeter C. Pritchard, of the United States Circuit Court, forbidding the enforcement of the 2-cent passenger rate ordered by the State corporation commission.

Gov. Swanson is exceedingly restive over his helplessness to resist the interference of the United States courts against the enforcement of the law as propounded by the commission. There has been no surrender on the part of the powers of the State, but it is quite well understood that the corporation commission is the only source through which any action can be taken.

Were the commission to ignore the order of Judge Pritchard, which is now very probable, and enforce the schedule of rates as ordered by the members, it would probably result in their arrest by the Federal court, and thus bring the matter directly before the court of last resort, which is what is desired by the State authorities.

This procedure has already been discussed by the officials, but none will state exactly what will be done. It is the general belief, however, that the commission will violate the injunction of the Federal court, and thus court arrest for the purpose of bringing matters to a speedy head.

Neither the governor nor any member of the commission would discuss the matter yesterday. Judge Prentis, of the commission, states in an interview that he fully indorses the position already taken by the governor, and that the commission will be guided in its actions by the advice of counsel.

Gov. Glenn of North Carolina yesterday issued a letter to the public reviewing the course of events in the railroad rate matter, and advising that the people join with the State authorities in giving full effect to the agreement with the railroads, signed last Saturday.

The governor's statement follows:

"The general assembly, at its last session, passed a law regulating passenger rates, the same to go into effect July 1, 1907. Before that time the Southern and Coast Line railroads, through the Circuit Court of the United States, enjoined the corporation commission and attorney general from publishing and putting the fixed rates into effect.

"Not believing that the circuit judge in an equity suit, by enjoining the corporation commission and attorney general, could prevent a self-acting law from going into effect, I commenced to prepare a letter to the judges and an address to the people when on the 8th of July, 1907, the Hon. B. F. Long, one of the ablest and most conscientious judges in the State, of his own motion hastened action by boldly and ably charging the grand jury of Wake county that it was its duty to immediately indict the railroads for violating the rate law.

"At once I assured Judge Long of my hearty approval of his righteous stand and my intention to assist him in upholding the law. My letter was forwarded to the other judges and indictments were made in Wake and other counties. Many penalty suits were also commenced against the railroads by private individuals.

"The railroads then applied to the Circuit Court to enjoin all private persons from bringing penalty suits and to take the persons arrested and convicted in the State courts from the officers of that court by writ of habeas corpus to the federal court. Believing this was not warranted by the laws, I resisted in every legal way, directed the State's attorneys to appeal from such action, and requested the State courts to continue to enforce the law.

"This brought about a direct conflict between the State and federal courts, a matter that I regretted, but could not, under my oath, avoid. At this juncture, Assistant Attorney General Sanford, representing the Department of Justice at Washington, came to see me to try and adjust all differences.

"I told him that under the constitution I could not and would not attempt to annul a State law, but if the railroads would obey the law and let it immediately go into effect, all minor details could be adjusted. At his request I put my ultimatum in writing, and published it. Nothing was to be done unless the railroads immediately recognized the law.

"After some debate and arrangement of minor details the railroads accepted the State's proposition, the rate law to become effective August 8 (a few days being given to change tickets, &c.), certain cases to be carried to the Supreme Court for final determination, and in the meantime the railroads to request the circuit judge to commence no contempt proceedings, and I to ask the judges and solicitors to commence no more indictments, and not prosecute those on their dockets except the two from which appeals were taken, and to request the people not to commence any penalty suits.

"In compliance with my agreement, the law now being fully recognized and obeyed by the railroads, I do most earnestly request all judges to stop all new indictments and to not prosecute those on the dockets, and also beg the people to bring no more penalty suits, to the end that peace and harmony shall again prevail between the railroads and the people.

"You cannot injure railroads without injuring the State. When they obey the law they are entitled to protection. The law is now in full force, and no one should therefore desire to violate the agreement made between the State and railroads, and I confidently ask and expect that said agreement be carried out and be strictly complied with. The law is supreme. Let all obey it.

The governor also addressed telegrams to officers of the Louisville and Nashville and the Carolina and Northwestern, asking if they will put the 2 1-4 cent rate in effect on August 8. The Southern Railway has perfected its appeal from the $80,000 fine imposed in Wake County Superior Court, giving a bond for twice the amount of the fine.

A parting shot at the state authorities in the railroad controversy was fired through petitions which the Southern Railway and the Atlantic Coast Line filed before Judge Pritchard at Asheville yesterday, asking that his interlocutory injunction be modified in accordance with the "peace" agreement reached Saturday at Raleigh between Governor Glenn and the railroads.

Both the roads filed petitions very similar in tenor which explained a conference here today between attorneys representing the two roads. The petition of the Southern Railway recites the entire history of the railroad cases, and includes a protest against what the roads regard as their ill treatment, this protest and recital of facts being designed for the perusal of the Supreme Court of the United States, as well as for the public.

The railroads declare in effect that they were clubbed into becoming party to the agreement effected at Raleigh. The public mind has been inflamed by the newspapers and the utterances of politicians, and the agreement was only assented to, it is asserted, under duress, because of threats of an extra session of the legislature when the expectation was held out that worse things would happen to the roads.

In conformity with the agreement to to prosecute its appeal from the $30,000 fine imposed in the Superior Court of Wake county to the Supreme Court of North Carolina, the Southern Railway has given formal notice of appeal and a bond in the sum of $60,000.

Virginia News.

At Woolsey, Prince William county, William F. Mountjoy has been appointed, postmaster vice L. K. Lynn, resigned.

While boarding the Old Dominion steamship Jamestown at Norfolk yesterday morning Charlotte Knoll, stewardess of the vessel, fell overboard and was drowned.

Addes Allen, 21 years old, was shot and dangerously wounded at Ivor, on the Norfolk and Western railroad, Saturday night. John Wyatt is charged with the shooting, Both men are employed on the Norfolk and Western railroad at Ivor.

The State Bar Association will assemble at Jamestown today to do honor to the memory of the first legislative assembly ever held in the world, so far as history has recorded. The association will be in session three days, this being their annual meeting.

Judge Harrison yesterday, after reading a petition therefor, ordered that a local option election be held in Battletown, magisterial district, Clark county, September 17. Berryville, the county seat, is in the district, which has a population of about 1,207 and has five saloons.

The large barn of Lee Saunders, near Culpeper, was burned to the ground yesterday with its contents, including crops of hay and grain. There were forty tons of this season's hay in the barn, and a large stack of straw near it was also burned. The origin of the fire is unknown,

Accused of attacking his ten year old step-daughter, Bertha Williams, Martin Williams was yesterday lodged in Nansemond county jail. Williams is feigning insanity. He had torn off nearly all of his clothing and bitten himself so severely that he was unable to appear in court. The principal State's witness is the girl's mother, who is the defendant's wife

Richard O'Brien, of Richmond, who was caught beneath his engine, which was derailed on the R., F. & P. R. R. Saturday night, died yesterday at the Mary Washington Hospital in Fredericksburg, where he was removed soon after the accident. He was 63 years old and was considered one of the most conservative engineers on the line. He is survived by his widow and two children.

Returns from the democratic primary election held in Fauquier county yesterday give G. L. Fletcher a majority over T. C. Pilcher for the State senate nomination. Warrenton precinct gave Fletcher 260, Pilcher 84. M. M. Green will succeed himself in the house of delegates, defeating A. D. Kelly and Edward Ambler. A. S. Hamilton defeats J. E. Olinger by a large majority for sheriff.

Charles Chaffin, one of the 28 men indicted by a special grand jury for rioting in connection with the smashing of all the Greek restaurants and bootblacking places in Roanoke two weeks ago, was yesterday tried in Police Court. Chaffin was fined $50 and sentenced to 12 months in jail. He is the seventh man tried and the sixth to be convicted. His jail term is twice as long as any of the others, so far imposed.

In commemoration of the establishment of the first house of burgesses, or legislative assembly, in America, at Jamestown, July 30, 1619, there was held at the Jamestown exposition today the 28th anniversary, a celebration in commemoration of the event, being one of a series of many historical celebrations to be observed at the exposition. The programme included addresses by Adlai Stevenson, of Illinois, ex-Vice President of the United States: J. Warren Keifer of Ohio, ex-Speaker of the House of Representatives, and others. The meeting was presided over by H. W. Cardwell, speaker of the Virginia house of delegates.

Thomas Shortt, 20 years old, son of Alphonse Shortt, a former resident of Ettrick, was shot Saturday night at Crewe, on the Norfolk and Western railroad, and is in a critical condition in a Lynchburg hospital. A negro named Garfield Fitzgerald is charged with the shooting. Shortt, whose eyesight was defective, was passing along one of the streets in Crewe and accidentally brushed against the negro, who became offended. Hot words passed between the negro and Shortt, and they finally went into an alley, it is presumed, to settle the matter. There the shooting occurred. Shortt was shot through the liver. The negro escaped.

MOYER BAILED.

As anticipated, President Moyer, of the Western Federation of Miners, was admitted by Judge Fremont Wood, who presided at the Haywood trial, to bail in the sum of $25,000 yesterday at Boise, Idaho. This disposal of Moyer's case was not objected to by the State, and, in fact, was all arranged by agreement between counsel before the court met yesterday afternoon. At the same time the trial of George A. Pettibone was set for October 1.

Public feeling in Boise with reference to the Haywood verdict still runs high, and it is upon Judge Wood's shoulders that the responsibility is still placed. All day yesterday the jurors were talking with their friends and acquaintances and blaming the court. The impression that most of the jury thought Haywood guilty, but that the State had not proven it under the court's instructions, keeps on growing. Three members of the jury openly denounce Haywood. One juryman declared that the entire body though Haywood guilty of complicity in Steunenberg's murder, but some believed the State had not made out a case—three ascribe their votes for acquittal to the court's instructions.

Attorney Clarence S. Darrow will ask Judge Wood today to fix a bond for George Pettibone. Pettibone is asserted by the prosecution to have been the leader in the murder plot.

Piles get quick and certain relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Its action is positive and certain. Itching, painful, protruding or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Large nickel-capped glass jars 50 cents. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons.

Today's Telegraphic News.

Murderous Assault on Watchman.

Wellesley, Mass., July 30.—Investigation of the murderous assault upon Jos. McCarthy, night watchman at the Wellesly telephone exchange, who lies at the point of death today, has revealed the Weir district mystery that has ever engaged the attention of the Massachusetts police. During the past twenty months one man in charge of the exchange has been killed and nine driven from their posts by the work of some unknown person who the company now believes is a lunatic with a murderous grudge against the service. The mystery opened a year ago when Perly Parker, night operator, was found one morning dead in his chair, shot through the head. Not the slightest trace was ever found of his murderer. After Parker's death eight men who succeeded him were driven from the office in rapid succession by strange happenings, which many of them attributed to the supernatural. Left alone at night they told of pistol shots, blood-curdling yells and the sound of opening and closing of doors. None of the operators stayed more than three months and some left after one night of horror. The last act of the mystery occurred when McCarthy, who had gone to work for the first time on Sunday, was found unconscious behind his chair with wounds on the back of his head. If he recovers he may be able to shed some light on the case, for about the room were signs of a terrible struggle. It is feared, however, that he will die without being able to speak. One of his predecessors, when questioned about what drove him from the office, replied: "I can't tell. If I did you'd laugh at me and would not believe it."

Priest Will Furnish Bail.

New York, July 30—Bail in any amount will be offered in Tombs Police Court as soon as Assistant District Attorney Manley calls up the case of the Rev. Father Levent Martoogessian, the Armenian priest, arrested last night on charges of attempting to rob three of his wealthy countrymen here of sums varying from $1,000 to $30,000. The priest in his cell at the Tombs today professes no uneasiness. He laughs at the idea that he is connected with the alleged international assassination society.

Attorney Spialberg, Father Martoogessions legal adviser, says he had no trouble in finding property holders early today who will sign the priest's bonds for $200,000 or $300,000, if necessary. The same sureties would have been glad to have come to his relief last night, the lawyer adds, but Father Martoogessian refused to permit them to be disturbed so late.

Later this afternoon an indictment charging Father Martoogessian with attempted robbery was returned by the grand jury. He was at once arraigned before Judge O'Sullivan in the court of general sessions but owing to the absence of the priests counsel the pleading was postponed until tomorrow. At the request of District Attorney Jerome who appeared personally, his bail was increased from $10,000 to $25,000.

Operation Performed.

Versailles, France, July 30—As a final effort to save the life of Alonzo Huntington, who was shot by his brother Henry in the latter's murderous assault on four members of his family, an operation was performed today. The bullets were removed from his head and body. His condition is still critical, and the doctors do not hold out much hope for his recovery. The death of Major Huntington last night has added to the sad features of the case. A guard prevented Henry from carrying out his suicidal plan. Major Huntington died without regaining consciousness, and consequently is in ignorance of his son's act. Today the condition of the two sisters and other brother shot by Henry is reported much improved. All are expected to recover.

National Secret Service.

New York, July 30.—Policeman Commissioner Bingham's suggestion for a national secret service in connection with the police of all cities has aroused police officials throughout the country. Letters received by General Bingham indicate his plan is favored in many cities. Following is the text of a telegram sent to many police chiefs today. "New York is experienced unparalleled outbreak of crime, many of which are assassinations by members of foreign secret societies, blackmailing plots and criminal assaults on women and little girls, chiefly by foreigners. Commissioner Bingham suggests organizing secret service. Will you state your ideas of how best to cope with the situation?"

Started for South Pole.

London, July 30.—To the south pole by automobile. This is the plan of Lieutenant E. H. Shackleton, the explorer, who started today for the south in another effort to reach the pole. Most important of all the articles in Shackelton's outfit is the specially prepared automobile. It is to take the place of the old fashioned sledges which other explorers were compelled to rely on. Shackelton's automobile is fitted out to travel over ice and he is confident he can drive the car to the very pole. Shackelton's chief difficulty will be to traverse the ice mountains which must be surmounted it order to reach the summit of the ice plateau.

Greek Insurgents Defeated.

Constantinople, July 30.—Turkish Troops and Bashi-Bazouka have wiped out a small band of Greek insurgents entrenched in a house in the outskirts of Seres, European Turkey, fifty miles from Salonica. The Greeks resisted desperately, killing thirty men in the storming party before they were vanquished.

Summer Muffs.

London, July 30.—The Queen has set a new fashion, which, it is said, is likely to become one of the most popular fancies of the year. This is the summer muff, a dainty trifle made of flowers, feathers and chiffon or tulle, which must match the wearer's toque and ruffs.

Bad Burn Quickly Healed.

"I am so delighted with what Chamberlain's Salve has done for me that I feel bound to write and tell you so," says Mrs. Robert Mytton, 457 John St., Hamilton, Ontario. "My little daughter had a burn on her knee. I applied Chamberlain's Salve and it healed beautifully." This salve allays the pain of a burn almost instantly. It is for sale by W. F. Creighton & Co. and Gibson & Timberman.

The Market.

Georgetown, July 30.—Wheat 73a78.

Suit Against Powder Trust.

Wilmington, Del., July 30.—In the very stronghold of its enemy, the federal government today began its long-heralded suit for the dissolution of the powder trust. A feature of unusual significance is that Henry A. DuPont, United States Senator from Delaware, is made one of a score of individual defendants to the action which charges a combination and conspiracy in restraint of trade, and which not only asks for an injunction restraining the individuals and twenty-six separate corporations, from further operation of the powder and dynamite business, but prays that a receiver be appointed for the leading companies—The E. I. DuPont DeMouners Powder Company, Laflin and Rand Powder Company and Eastern Dynamite Company. It further prays that the receiver administer the affairs of these corporations under the direction of the federal court, until the conditions in the powder and dynamite trade in the United States, and in its commerce with foreign nations shall be in harmony with law. The bill in equity was filed here today by John P. Niels, District Attorney, and J. V. Roadstrum, the special agent of the Department of Justice, who, for over eight months, has been probing the affairs of the trust.

Sensational Developements Expected.

Pittsburg, Pa., July 30.—Sensational developements are expected to follow the arrest of Tom Madine, formerly coachman for Augustus Hartje, the millionaire paper manufacturer whose divorce trial created notoriety recently. Madine' the star witness for Mrs. Hartje, threatens to make public alleged letters to have been written him by Mrs. Hartje. Madine was fined today on a charge of disorderly conduct. One of the women declared Madine made confessions to her regarding the Hartje case. It was reported the coachman was detained after being fined and it is said that the case is being investigated. Madine declares he has not been fairly treated by Mrs. Hartje and it it hinted he has made overtures to her husband. Mrs. Hartje at her summer home at Ligonier said: They are welcome to all letters from me that they can find on Madine."

Plot Frustrated.

Odessa, Russia, July 30.—The authorities today nipped in the bud a plot to blow up a crowded political prison here. Arrangements had been practically completed for firing the mine arranged in the prison. Had the explosion occurred hundreds of lives probably would have been destroyed. Information was brought to the prison authorities of the plot, and a hasty examination of the cells proved the truth of the report. Large quantities of dynamite and sulphur were found in several cells, having been smuggled in by some mysterious method. All the ringleaders in the plot have been placed in solitary confinement.

Germans and Italians Clash.

Innspruck, Austria, July 30.—A race war between Germans and Italians has broken out and threatens serious trouble. American tourists, fearing there may be an outbreak of armed hostilities between the rival camps, are leaving in haste for other points. Trouble started when Italians made an attack on a German at an outing of gynastic clubs. After this the Germans rallied their forces and attacked several Italians shops, wrecking them and beating the owners. Ill-feeling between the races has been growing for some time and there is grave fear that the outbreak may lead to a clash with arms.

Think Endorsement will be Unanimous

Columbus, O., July 30.—Political managers of Secretary Taft, before the meeting of the republican committee, this afternoon forecast Taft's endorsement for President. Some of them say that the endorsement will be unanimous. Foraker's lieutenants have not given up the fight, and say that the Senator has a few cards up his sleeve that the Taft forces know nothing about. In spite of these claims, non-partisan leaders generally believe the Foraker-Dick combine is routed.

Structure Demolished.

Chicago, July 30.—Superstition over the finding of the skelton and other weird objects in an abandoned world's fair dance hall building together with the circulated reports that the ghost of a girl, supposed to have been murdered there, had been seen haunting the place, caused a crowd of men to make an onslaught upon the structure and demolish it. The structure was two stories high and the frenzied crowd demolished it within an hour.

Moyer's Bond.

Boise, July 30.—Charles H. Moyer will leave the prison here this afternoon a free man under $25,000 bond, owing to the generosity of the local unions of the Western Federation of Miners, who have guaranteed $30,000 cash, the personal bond of Timothy Regan, a resident of Boise and a heavy property owner here.

Body Identified.

New York, July 30—The body of the young woman strangled in the lodging house on west Twenty-second street, has been identified as Mrs. Sophie Kohler, of Tonawanda, N. Y. She lived for a time in Jersey City. An autopsy on the body of the alleyway victim proved her to have been brutally assaulted, frightfully gashed with a knife and almost torn to pieces presumably in the scuffle which preceded her death.

Driven Insane.

San Francisco, July 30—Francis Haws, third mate of the illfated Columbia has lost his mind. He brooded over the controversy which among the survivors regarding his actions at the time of the wreck and newspaper comment thereon. Last night he became violent and was placed in detection of the city prison.

New York Stock Market.

New York, July 30.—The tone of the stock market after the first sales this morning became heavy and there was a lack of support in groups, leaving it easy for a contingent of bear traders to force prices to fractionally lower levels and to reach many stop orders on a continuation of the downward movement that was in progress yesterday.

Cured of Lung Trouble.

"It is now eleven years since I had a narrow escape from consumption," writes C. O. Floyd, a leading business man of Kershaw, S. C. "I had run down in weight to 135 pounds, and coughing was constant, both by day and by night. Finally I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and continued this for about six months, when my cough and lung trouble were entirely gone and I was restored to my normal weight, 170 pounds." Thousands of persons are healed every year. Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Son's drug store.

DIED.

On Monday morning, July 29, at 11 o'clock, at her residence on south Lee street, Miss LOUISA SNOWDEN, eldest daughter of the late Edgar and Louisa Grymes Snowden. Funeral from her late home on Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Interment private.

Alexandria Gazette.

TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 30, 1907.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 4 56 a. m. and sets at 7:15 p. m. High water at 11:15 a. m. and 11:45 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section partly cloudy weather, local showers tonight or Wednesday; light winds, mostly westerly.

MUST RETIRE.

As stated in a telegram from Richmond in yesterday's Gazette, unless A. D. Gaegler, president of the Old Dominion Protective Association, of Alexandria, retires from office, as ordered by the Insurance Department of Virginia, Attorney-General Anderson will take legal steps to have him removed. This situation developed yesterday as the result of a conference which was held by Insurance Commissioner Button, Mr. Charles G. Taylor, jr., actuary, and the Attorney-General, and at which the methods of two Alexandria companies, the Old Dominion Protective Association and the Modern Woodmen of the World, were considered. It had been reported to the department that the companies had not obeyed the regulations, in that they had resorted to unusual practices in the matter of re-insurance. Judge J. K. M. Norton went to Richmond to represent the two concerns, and the conference, therefore, was in the nature of an investigation.

So far as the Modern Woodmen of the World was concerned, Attorney-General Anderson held that inasmuch as the alleged reprehensible practices had taken place before the creation of the insurance department by the General Assembly, the department was not in a position to interfere by way of exacting penalties. The Richmond Times-Dispatch says it is the understanding of the department in Richmond that the Alexandria companies are largely controlled by Washington capital, a license, however, having been secured in Virginia. Gaegler is a resident of Washington. Formal notice will be served on him to the effect that he must retire from the presidency. In the event that he fails or refuses to comply, Attorney General Anderson will proceed to carry the matter into the courts.

PLEAD GUILTY.

The case of two city druggists who were charged with the unlawful sale of morphine, was settled yesterday, the accused having appeared before Justice Caton of the Police Court and, upon pleading guilty, paid $10 each, the minimum fine. This action was satisfactory to Mr. S. G. Brent, the Commonwealth's Attorney.

The case of another city druggist who was charged with preparing physician's prescriptions without being a registered pharmacist, or having such in his employment, came up in the Police Court this afternoon. The accused was represented by Mr. C. C. Carlin, and Commonwealth's Attorney Brent conducted the prosecution. The accused appeared at the appointed hour and acknowledged accepting a prescription from a citizen, but said he had it prepared by another druggist to whom he had been sending his prescriptions when not having a relief registered clerk. Mr. G. J. Mankin, of Falls Church, a member of the State Pharmacy Board, stated that under section 1759 of the laws regulating the practice of pharmacy, the fact that the accused had drugs, poisons, etc., in his charge and for sale, was a violation of law and he was liable to fine. Justice Caton in summing up the case stated that as the accused intended to comply with the law in the future, he would impose the minimum fine ($10).

MURDER IN FAIRFAX.

"Jack" McCuen was shot and instantly killed Sunday at the home of William Keys, near Pleasant Valley, in Fairfax county. Justice of the Peace Gilbert B. Spindle held an investigation and committed to jail young Harvey Keys, charged as a principal in the murder, and Mrs. "Jack" McCuen, charged as a principal in the second degree. It was shown at the investigation that McCuen and his wife, who had been married 15 years, had not been living together for some time. Mrs. McCuen has been staying at the home of William Keys in Fairfax. On Sunday McCuen drove over to Keys' to induce his wife to return to her home. She not only refused, but, it is said, directed Keys' son, who is about 18 years old, to get a gun and shoot her husband. The boy, it is testified, promptly obeyed, and shot McCuen in the back, the shot nearly severing the spine. McCuen was about 60 years of age, and had been married once before. Mrs. McCuen is about 20 years his junior. About 14 years ago McCuen got into trouble with some parties in Prince William county and was very badly shot up, from the effects of which he never recovered. This is the seventh case of death by violence in Fairfax county during the last few months.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Bud Mason, charged with using abusive language toward Clara Williams, was fined $5.

George Chichester and Eppa Padgett, charged with disorderly conduct and fighting, were fined $10 each.

A white man, charged with assaulting a colored man who had struck the former's child, forfeited his collateral by failing to appear.

John Henry, colored, charged with assaulting his wife, was fined $10.

Lewis Edelen, charged with assaulting his wife, had his case continued until next Friday morning when the victim, it is thought, will be able to appear.

A druggist, charged with violating the pharmacy laws by preparing physicians' prescriptions without being a registered pharmacist, was fined $10.

WEEDS AND GRASS.

The crop of weeds and grass in certain portions of the city bids fair to be plentiful this year. In some places noxious growths are several feet high and they are still forging heavenward. At the northeast corner of Cameron and Henry streets swamp grass is over a foot high and a crop of waukapins is expected. It is suggested that by September redbirds may be shot there and in the vicinity of the northwest corner.

The three-masted schooner Daylight, from the Kennebec river with ice to the Mutual Ice Company, has arrived,

LUNA PARK NOTES.

The Grenadier Guards Band, under the directionship of W. Reginald Herbert, will terminate its Washington season Saturday. Musically, the band has given the best of satisfaction, and were it not for engagements elsewhere, it would prove itself capable of drawing crowds for a term exceeding that originally agreed upon.

The celebrated Duffin-Redcay Troupe, in the world's greatest casting act, and positively the only acrobats in existence who have succeeded in throwing a triple somersault, will be the free vaudeville attraction at the Park. They have some aerial surprises new to this section, and will present their act in its entirety twice daily upon the park's campus, which has been especially prepared for the occasion. The troupe consists of four male members, who twist, turn and wriggle through space with the agility and grace of a bird.

An innovation has come to pass at the park, brought about by Manager Goodfellow, who has courteously placed the park's amusements at all children's disposal every afternoon excepting Sunday and between the hours of two and four. All concessions controlled by the park's management will be free of charge. Of course, the little ones, always in quest of pleasure, will exhibit no traits of tardiness in taking advantage of this thoughtful offer and contingents of juveniles are anticipated daily.

Saturday, August 3d, will be Sunday school day at the park, and all Alexandria and Washington Sunday school children are invited to attend. Special concessions, all of which are free, will be at the children's disposal at given hours.

The recent cool spell has added materially to the attendance at the dancing pavilion and large crowds are enjoying the vocalisms of Chester Spencer, who interlineates a number of popular ballads between the dance numbers.

The guessing contest has caught on and many are striving to win the award, which is to be $500 in gold. Details regarding this most liberal of all contests can be had by applying at the park's bureau of information.

PERSONAL.

Misses Marion Waller and Pickett Waller, of Widewater, have gone to Cape Henry, where they will stay several weeks, guests of Mrs. Kate W. Barrett, who has a cottage there.—[Fredericksburg Lance.

Mrs. Fitzhugh Lee and Miss Virginia Lee, who have just returned from the Philippine Islands, are the guests of Mrs. Caskie Cabell, in Richmond.

Miss Mary Custis Lee is at the White Sulphur, where she will spend several weeks.

Mr. John W. Herndon, of Alexandria, was in the city Monday to attend the funeral of his kinswoman, Miss S. Parker Herndon.—[Fredericksburg Journal.

Mrs. James Goodwin has gone to Gordonsville to spend a few weeks.

The condition of Conductor Charles W. Nowland, who was injured Saturday night in a trolley pole accident on the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon line, near the Dyke station, below this city, is unchanged.

Mrs. M. V. Nalls continues quite sick at her home, 911 Duke street.

During the absence of Rev. P. P. Phillips from this city the pulpit of St. Paul's Church will be filled by Rev. Laurence Combs, of Lancaster.

The marriage of Miss Hallie Roberts Gorham, daughter of Capt. T. E. Gorham, and Mr. James E McGowan will take place at the home of the prospective bride tomorrow evening.

Rev. Dr. Fisher, of the Baptist Church, does not expect to take a vacation during August, but will remain in the city during the month.

CHARGED WITH ASSAULT AND THEFT.

Among the cases before the Police Court this morning was that of a negro named John Henry who was charged with assaulting his wife. When asked what he had to say for himself, Henry acknowledged that he committed the assault, and gave as a reason that his wife was drunk at the time. He was fined $5. Henry will be held on another charge—that of stealing three sets of harness in Fairfax county.

About 11 o'clock Officers Bell and Talbot left the station house for the city jail with four prisoners, among whom was Henry. Upon arriving there the officers proceeded to the office with their charges to await the arrival of the warden when Henry made a dash for liberty, escaping through a side door and jumping over a fence in the rear of the building. The officers, as soon as they had the other prisoners safely confined, gave pursuit and chased the fugitive to a point north of the old canal outlet lock when he took to the river and was wading out when the officers, who in the meantime had procurred a rowboat, soon had him in custody again. Henry later stated that it was his intention to drown himself, preferring death to the penitentiary. The officers who recaptured Henry were assisted by Special Officer Carter.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

The regular examination for teachers, white and colored, is being held by Superintendent Kemper at Peabody school building and will be concluded tomorrow. Examination on the professional course is also being held. Those taking the examination are:

White—Miss V. Ada Grigg and Miss Mary A. Bontz, professional, and Miss Amanda R. Carne.

Colored—Arrah Rebecca Chinn and Paul J. Smith, of Washington, D. C.

FINED FIVE DOLLARS.

A youth named Bud Mason repaired to north Lee street yesterday afternoon, and being denied admission to a house used some vile language toward the proprietress and also toward Officer Nicholson, who was in the neighborhood at the time. Mason was brought before the Police Court this morning when he was fined $5 by Justice Caton.

FINED FOR FIGHTING.

George Chichester and Eppa Padgett engaged in a fight at the intersection of Cameron and Fayette streets yesterday afternoon, during which Padgett was said to have been struck by a brick thrown by his antagonist. Officer Garvey arrested the two men and they were fined $10 each in the Police Court this morning.

The truckers say the tomato crop this year will be above the average. Fine specimens are being brought to market.

Constipation.

For constipation there is nothing quite so nice as Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They always produce a pleasant movement of the bowels without any disagreeable effect. Price, 25 cents. Samples free. For sale by W. F. Creighton & Co. and Gibson & Timberman.

SUIT FOR DAMAGES.

Martha Ann Mills has filed suit in the Circuit Court for Alexandria county against the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway Company to recover $5,000 for personal injuries alleged to have been received while a passenger on one of the cars of the defendant company about a year ago. She is represented by Mr. Robinson Moncure.

"To Keep Well

The whole year through," writes L. A. Bartlett, of Rural Route 1, Guilford, Me., "I and my family use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They have proven most satisfactory to all of us." They tone the system and cure biliousness, malaria and constipation. Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Son's Drug store.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

There was a meeting of the Reliance Fire Company last night. The business transacted was of no public interest.

James Edwards was arrested today by Officer Garvey on suspicion of stealing a bicycle in Washington. He was later turned over to officers from that city.

John, the little son of Mr. William Creegan, who was recently run over by a wagon on south Alfred street and seriously injured, is slowly improving.

In the Corporation Court yesterday Judge Barley granted an absolute divorce to Joseph Harrison from Mary Melinda Harrison, on the ground of desertion.

The rainy weather of yesterday was followed by clearing conditions early last night. The weather has been fair today with a northwest wind and mild temperature.

The Alexandria Athletic Association baseball team has issued a challenge to uniformed teams of Baltimore for a game of baseball in this city on next Saturday afternoon.

Flossie Dickinson, fourteen years old, who ran away from her home in Washington and came to this city a few days ago, has been turned over to her mother by the Alexandria police.

The remains of William M. Clark, one of the men killed Saturday night by the accident to a Southern Railway passenger train, were forwarded to Rapidan today by W. Demaine & Son.

Crab picking and music tonight at Fegan and Self's saloon, formerly Schwab's old stand, 132 north Royal street.

Oysters fried, stewed or raw. Fried clams. Hard shell crabs. Clam Soup three times a week. Stews of all kinds. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. feb 26tf

Destructive Fire.

Auburn, N. Y. July 30.—It is reported that the entire business section of Moravia, N. Y., is being destroyed by flames which broke out this morning. Moravia is situated at the head of Owasco Lake, and is eleven miles from Auburn.

Moravia, N. Y., July 30.—Investigation of the causes of today's fire which raged from 3 o'clock until noon indicates an attempt to burn the town. Before the flames were checked the second time an entire block had been burned over, destroying the Masonic temple and Greenfield block. The loss will approximate $35,000.

A Denial.

New York, July 30.—Denial of the report sent from Paris some time ago that Madame Anna Gould, formerly Countess de Castellane, is to marry a French prince, was given out today by Edmund Kelly, the American lawyer practicing in Paris, who represented Mme. Gould in her divorce suit.

Minister's Drowned.

New Haven, Conn., July 30.—Secretary Stokes, of Yale, today received a cable from Kuling, China, stating that Rev. Warren B. Seabury, Rev. Arthur S. Maun, were drowned. The latter met death in trying to rescue Mr. Seabury but other particulars are not given.

Killed Resisting Arrest.

Downingtown, Pa., July 30.—Barricaded in a bar here, George Thomas, the West Chester negro, who shot his wife Saturday, was killed today resisting arrest. He opened fire on policeman Thomas Gray, who found him. The latter summoned a posse which killed the fugitive at the first volley.

OPENING AND CLOSING OF MAILS

Northern mails, week days, close at 7 30 and 8 45 a. m., and 1 35, 4 30, 5 30, 8 30 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m, and 4 00 p. m. On Sundays Northern mails close at 8 45 a. m., 4 30, 7 30 and 9 30 p. m.

Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7 30 and 10 30 a. m., and 1 35, 9 30 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 8 45 and 10 45 a. m., and 8 30, 5 45 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 a. m., 12 m and 4 p. m.

Manassas Division mails close at 7 30 a. m. and 3 30 p. m. Open at 12 30 and 9 30 p. m.

Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7 30 a. m., and 4 00 p. m. Open at 9 00 a. m. and 2 30 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 1 35 p. m. and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

Washington mails close at 7 30, 8 45 and 10 45 a. m., and 1 35, 4 30, 6 00, 8 30 and 10 30p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. and 4 30 p. m.

Office Hours—Open at 8 00 a. m. Close at 6 00 p. m.

Sunday Hours—Open at 9 00 a. m. Close at 10 00 a. m.

Carriers' Schedule—Collection made on inside routes—6 30 and 10 00 a. m. and 3 00 and 5 30 p. m. Full route—6 30 a. m. and 5 30 p. m. Sunday collection 5 00 p. m. Carriers' window open Sunday 9 00 a. m. and close 10 00 a. m.

Deliveries made 8 00 a. m. 1 p. m. and 4 15 p. m.

All mail should be in the office ten minutes before our indicated time for closing.

LOST.

LOST.—A PEN KNIFE (silver handle) at the Opera House Cafe. The finder will please return same at 119 north Columbus street and receive reward. jy30 3t

LOST.—Saturday night, between Wm. H. Peck's store and 117 south Fayette street, a GOLD WATCH, stem winder and stem set. A liberal reward will be given if returned to 117 south Fayette street. jy29 3.*

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WANTED.—A local MAN to represent large international brokerage house. Good opening for man with ability and energy. Must furnish best of references. Address at once, THE HANCOCK COMPANY, 212 Flatiron Building, New York, city. jy30 3t*

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	W	L	Pct		W	L	Pct
Chicago	53	34	.609	New York.	41	45	.477
Cleveland.	53	36	.596	St. Louis.	36	51	.414
Detroit	50	34	.595	Boston.	34	52	.395
Phila'phia.	49	36	.576	Wash'n	26	54	.325

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

YESLERDAY'S RESULTS.

New York, 4; St. Louis, 3.
Boston, 6; Pittsburg, 3.
Chicago, 2; Brooklyn, 1.
Philadelphia, 2; Cincinnati, 1.

HOW THEY STAND.

	W	L	Pct		W	L	Pct
Chicago	65	24	.730	Brooklyn.	41	49	.456
Pittsburg	53	33	.612	Boston.	37	48	.435
New York.	51	34	.600	Cincinnati	36	52	.409
Phila'phia.	46	37	.554	St. Louis.	31	72	.226

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Women's Suits of white chiffon Panama; tailored coats; full-pleated skirts; 4 were $22.50; sizes 36, 38 and 40. "Move-on" price $11.29

Women's Waists of white lawn, open front or back, long or short sleeves; trimmed with broad tucks. Sizes 34 to 44. Actual value, $1.68. "Move-on" price..... 82c

Women's White Cannon Cloth Skirts, full pleated in cluster folds around bottom.

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Lot 2—Men's Two-piece Skeleton or Negligee Suits, very fine quality and handsome patterns. These are made of Panama cloths, tropical worsteds, and cassimeres, and they are mostly the popular grays, in plain effects, plaids, and stripes.
$15 each. Were $18.00 and $15.

Lot 3—Includes the ends of lines and broken sizes of Men's Two and Three Piece Suits, in plains, plaids, checks, stripes, &c. Some of our finest suits are among them. There are all sizes in the combined lots.
$7.50 each. Were up to $22.50.

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114 Commerce, 5r	1,000
330 S. Patrick, 6r	1 800
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AN EXPERT'S ANSWER

Why Cities Cannot Get Good Men to Run Their Plants.

The Superintendent of a Municipally Owned Electric Light Works Tells How He Was Overruled by "the Board" on Many Points—M. O. "Practically Wrong, and Results Prove It."

The question is often asked by defenders of municipal ownership why cities cannot secure and retain to operate their plants as good men as private concerns have in their employ. An answer is suggested by the following letter from the superintendent of a municipal plant, which was printed in a recent issue of the Engineer:

"Some time ago I bumped into what I call 'peanut legislation.' I took charge of a lighting and pumping plant owned by a city. The plant consisted of two very good water tube boilers, 125 horsepower each; a 14 by 18 inch semi-Corliss engine, a 100 kilowatt generator, two pumps 8 and 12 by 8¼ inches with a twelve inch stroke, a 6 and 4 by 6 inch feed pump, a 600 gallon steam fire engine and a board of public works. I was supposed to have charge of the entire plant, but not of the board, but it was necessary to take charge of it at first.

"The plant was less than a year old and after the fashion of municipal plants had already obtained a good start on the road to rack and ruin. The engine pounded and had in less than a year's time imbibed ten barrels of oil, in spite of an oil filter's efforts. Probably the waste oil made fires a bit hotter. The boilers were scandalously dirty both inside and outside, and the grate surface was one-third larger than was necessary to carry the peak load. An open feed water heater did business to the tune of 100 degrees Fahrenheit. The pumps had been denied proper lubrication and loudly proclaimed the fact. Fully one-fifth of the electric service meters were out of business and customers paying a minimum rate as a result. Water services were not metered at all, and customers used water as they pleased, at such times as they found most convenient, regardless of sprinkling hours, and in some cases paid what they pleased or not at all.

"After these things had been severally and collectively attended to the coal heaving was cut squarely in two, the oil pouring divided by 10 and the receipts almost doubled. In fact, a plant which had been losing money on a winter load was more than running even in April. The next year the rate per kilowatt hour was cut from 10 cents to 8 1-10 cents, with the character of the service much improved. Mark me not, I pray you, for conceit, but rather as a narrator of plain, unvarnished truth. During all this time the board was 'skidoo 23.' What happened just about that time? Very little, I assure you.

"I was advised that hereafter all orders for supplies, repairs, etc., must pass through the board and be duly acted upon and forwarded to the city clerk or executed. I needed a half inch hose nipple very badly that day, and I couldn't get it for a week. Then along comes a bunch of 'No Loafing' signs, big and red enough to make the place look like a pesthouse. Wiring which was condemned by the inspector was approved by the board after 'due deliberation.'

"Then the men at the plant were advised that the board expected each of them to work a twelve hour shift and after or before that do such things as trim lamps, repair lines, connect services, read meters, etc. Other little bits of advice too numerous to mention came in regularly.

"We managed to keep up our work after a fashion, but things are steadily getting worse. Explain things to them? Just like butting your head against a stone wall. Grocers and millers and doctors and lawyers make good consulting engineers, but when a saving of $2 can be made by spending $1 they can't find the $1. In the meantime my salary had been raised by the appalling sum of $5 per month. Still every little bit helps.

"Municipal ownership, like the hows and whys in textbooks, is theoretically the correct thing, but in the big majority of cases is practically wrong, and results prove it. I'm not looking for another position, but will take a good job if I can get it. T. B. G."

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AUCTION SALES.

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BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, rendered at the June term (1907) in the chancery case therein pending, wherein John T. Nalls is complainant and R. A. Howdershell et als. are defendants, the undersigned commissioner of sale will offer for sale at public auction on

SATURDAY, the 3d day of August, 1907, at 12 o'clock m, in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market building, in the said city, the following described lots or parcels of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon in the said city of Alexandria and bounded as follows, to-wit:

First. All that lot of ground with the buildings thereon beginning at a point on the east side of Washington street equi-distant from Prince and Duke streets and at the north gable wall of the building thereon and running thence south on Washington street 22 feet to the middle of the partition wall between the house on this lot and the house adjoining on the south; thence east 113 feet 5 inches to an alley 11 feet wide; thence north on said alley 22 feet, and thence west 112 feet 5 inches to the beginning; also a strip of land beginning at the north line of the above described lot and running thence north on Washington street 3 feet 4 inches; thence east to the east line of the church lot; thence south 3 feet 4 inches and thence west to the beginning.

Second. Beginning at a point on the west side of Alfred street 155 feet 7 inches south of King street and running thence west 110 feet; thence south 20 feet; thence east 110 feet to Alfred street, and thence north on Alfred street 20 feet to the beginning.

Third. Beginning on the east side of Patrick street 40 feet north of Gibbon street and running thence east parallel to Gibbon street 65 feet; thence north 21 feet; thence east 14 feet; thence north 30 feet 3 inches; thence west 79 feet to Patrick street, and thence south on Patrick street 51 feet 3 inches to the beginning. The above being improved by three dwellings Nos. 534, 536 and 538 south Patrick street.

Fourth. Beginning on the west side of Alfred street 63 feet 6 inches north of Wolfe street and running thence north on Alfred street 12 feet 6 inches; thence west 110 feet to an alley; thence south on said alley 12 feet 6 inches, and thence east 110 feet to the beginning, with the right of way over the said alley.

Fifth. Beginning on the south side of Gibbon street between Washington and Columbus streets at a point 12 feet east of an alley 20 feet wide and running thence south 51 feet 7 inches; thence east 14 feet 8 inches; thence north 51 feet 7 inches to Gibbon street, and thence west on Gibbon street 14 feet 8 inches to the beginning, with all appurtenances.

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Commissioner of Sale.

State of Virginia, City of Alexandria, to-wit:

I, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, do hereby certify that the bond required by the above mentioned decree has been duly executed before me.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
jy17 td Clerk of said court.

Thomas L. Carter, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust, executed on May 15, 1905, by Julian Fogg and Bessie L. Fogg, his wife, and duly recorded among the records at the clerk's office in the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, in deed book No. 52, page 599, default having been made in the payment of a sum of money secured thereby, and at the request and by the direction of the holder of the notes secured thereby, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale at public auction on

FRIDAY, AUGUST 2, 1907,

beginning at 11 o'clock a. m., the following HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE on the premises, No. 1024 King street, Alexandria, Virginia:

One fine piano and stool, one heavy suite of oak furniture, one suite of white furniture, one desk, one sideboard, one large picture, one suite of parlor furniture, one ornamental brass clock, one large hall rack, one suite of walnut furniture, two iron bedsteads, brass finishings; one center table, one large extension table, one couch, one music cabinet, lace curtains, lot of carpets and mattings, one gas stove and cooking utensils, etc., etc.

Terms of Sale: Cash.

GARDNER L. BOOTHE, Trustee.
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PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF CONSTRUCTING QUARTERMASTER, U. S. Army, Fort Washington, Md., July 23, 1907.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon August 26, 1907 for Draining and Grading the Drill Ground at Fort Washington, Md. Information regarding plans and specifications may be obtained at this office, and will be furnished intending bidders upon the deposit of the sum of ten (10) dollars to insure return of same. Proposals must be marked "Proposals for Draining Drill Ground at Fort Washington, Md., and addressed to the Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Fort Washington, Md.
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GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S Department, Washington, D. C., July 22, 1907. Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received until 11 o'clock a. m on Tuesday, August 20, 1907, and then publicly opened for Constructing Bridge on Military Road to Ft. Myer, Va. Plans and specifications can be had and information obtained on application to this office. The United States reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Bridge," and addressed to Maj. M. GRAY ZALINSKI, Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Washington, D. C. jy23,24,25,26,aug16,17

MAYOR'S OFFICE
Alexandria, Va., July 19, 1907.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office for the removal of the NIGHT SOIL OF THE CITY for the next ensuing two years from August 1st, 1907. All proposals submitted will be subject to the provisions of the city laws on the subject, and the contractor must make arrangements for the disposal of the soil beyond the city limits. All proposals must be accompanied by a check or deposit of twenty-five dollars, and will be opened at 12 o'clock noon on WEDNESDAY, July 31, 1907. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved, and the contract will not be awarded unless the amount offered is in keeping with the profits and privileges which follow it. FRED. J. PAFF, Mayor.
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Frances Kaletski, Pltf.
vs. In Chancery.
William Kaletski, Deft.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce from the bond of matrimony; to obtain the care and custody of infant child, Norman Colman Kaletski, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, William Kaletski, is a non-resident of this State; It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city. A copy—TESTE—

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
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N. B—Following schedule figures published only as information, and are not guaranteed.

7:17 A. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

8:22 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations.

9:17 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper New Orleans. Dining car service.

11:17 A. M. Daily—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

6:32 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton, Strasburg and Charlottesville.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta. Dining car service a la carte.

10:32 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke-Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:17 P. M.—Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train, club and observation cars to New Orleans. Sleepers to Asheville, Atlanta, Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 7:18, 8:28 and 8:48 A. M. and 2:13, 5:08, 8:28, 11:13 and 11:23 P. M. daily. Harrisonburg 12:08 P. M. week days and 9:03 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:58 A. M.

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For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 36, 4 46, 9 21 and 11 31 a. m., 4:00, 5 07 (local), and 6 16 p. m., week days.

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